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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

REF: STATE 93042

1. IN ORDER TO ASSURE THE MOST RAPID TRANSMITTAL POSSIBLE OF THE PRESIDENT'S LETTER, I DELIVERED IT TO FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA AT 4PM LOCAL TIME (3PM WASHINGTON TIME). (SILVEIRA HAD JUST BEGUN TO PRESIDE OVER THE ITAMARATY "DAY-OF-THE-DIPLOMAT" LUNCHEON WHEN THE REFTEL ARRIVED.) SILVEIRA SAID THE LETTER WOULD BE IN THE PRESIDENT'S HANDS IN A MATTER OF MINUTES. I LEFT WITH SILVEIRA A COURTESY COPY OF THE LETTER.

2. WHEN I TOLD SILVEIRA THAT THE WHITE HOUSE DID NOT PLAN TO RELEASE THE TEXT BUT WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION IF THE BRAZILIAN GOVERNMENT WISHED TO DO SO, HE ASKED MY OPINION, SPECIFICALLY WHETHER I THOUGHT THAT IT WOULD BE USEFUL FOR US-BRAZILIAN RELATIONS TO HAVE IT PUBLISHED. I SAID THAT MY PERSONAL OPINION WAS THAT OF COURSE IT WOULD BE BUT THAT WAS A QUESTION FOR THE BRAZILIAN GOVT TO DECIDE. SILVEIRA THEN SAID THAT WHEN PRESIDENT GEISEL'S ANSWER WAS PREPARED, WE COULD DISCUSS THE QUESTION AGAIN IN THE LIGHT OF THE TWO TEXTS. HE INDICATED THAT HE MIGHT WISH TO WRITE TO THE SECRETARY AT THAT TIME. HE CONCLUDED BY SAYING THAT HE CERTAINLY BELIEVED THAT IT WOULD BE GOOD TO PUBLISH THE EXCHANGE.

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